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TAGS: EFIN, JA, IV
SUBJECT: PRIVATE LOAN FROM TOKYO CONSORTIUM TO
IVORY COAST

REF: ABIDJAN 1919

1. SUMMARY. IVORY COAST RECEIVES PRIVATE LOAN WORTH
\$24.8 MILLION FROM TOKYO CONSORTIUM. END SUMMARY.

2. ON JULY 18, IN THE IVORY COAST, A CONSORTIUM LED BY
BANK OF TOKYO (FIVE JAPANESE FOREIGN EXCHANGE BANKS,
THREE JAPANESE INSURANCE COMPANIES, AND THE TOKYO BRANCH
OF THE FRENCH BANK PARIBAS) REPORTEDLY SIGNED A CONTRACT
FOR A YEN LOAN (5 BILLION YEN OR ABOUT \$24.8 MILLION) TO
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE IVORY COAST. THIS IS FIRST PRIVATE
SYNDICATED LOAN TO THE IVORY COAST WITH MAINLY JAPANESE
PARTICIPATION. REPORTEDLY INTEREST IS 7.9 PCT, REPAYMENT
TERM IS SEVEN YEARS INCLUDING THREE YEARS' GRACE, AND
LOAN IS TO BE USED FOR LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS.

3. COMMENT. LOAN TO THIS NEW AND DISTANT BORROWER
ILLUSTRATES CONTINUING INTEREST OF JAPANESE FINANCIAL
INSTITUTIONS IN FINDING NEW OUTLETS FOR THEIR AMPLE
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CAPITAL, ESPECIALLY IN COUNTRIES ENJOYING AS GOOD A
CREDIT RECORD AS THE IVORY COAST'S. END COMMENT.
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